

**MINUTES OF THE  
SENATE JUDICIARY, LAW ENFORCEMENT & CRIMINAL JUSTICE  
STANDING COMMITTEE**

Room 250, Utah State Capitol

February 29, 2016

**Members Present:** Sen. Mark B. Madsen, Chair  
Sen. Luz Escamilla  
Sen. Lyle W. Hillyard  
Sen. Daniel W. Thatcher  
Sen. Stephen H. Urquhart  
Sen. Todd Weiler

**Member Excused:** Sen. Gene Davis

**Staff Present:** Mr. Nathan Brady, Policy Analyst  
Ms. Nancy Skidmore, Committee Secretary

**NOTE:** A list of visitors and a copy of handouts are filed with the committee minutes.

Chair Madsen called the meeting to order at 4:14 p.m.

**MOTION:** Sen. Hillyard moved to approve the minutes of the February 23, 2016 and February 25, 2016 meetings. The motion passed unanimously with Sen. Escamilla, Sen. Weiler and Sen. Thatcher absent for the vote.

**H.B. 114     Controlled Substance Reporting (*Rep. R. Ward*)**

Rep. Ward explained the bill to the committee.

Spoke to the bill:     Mr. Steve Burton, Utah Association of Criminal Defense Attorneys

**MOTION:** Sen. Escamilla moved to pass the bill out favorably. The motion passed unanimously with Sen. Thatcher absent for the vote.

**S.B. 206     Cohabitant Abuse Procedures Act Revisions (*Sen. L. Hillyard*)**

**MOTION:** Sen. Hillyard moved S.B. 206 be replaced with 1<sup>st</sup> Sub. S.B. 206. The motion passed unanimously with Sen. Urquhart and Sen. Thatcher absent for the vote.

Sen. Hillyard explained the bill to the committee.

Spoke for the bill:     Ms. Jennifer Valencia, Director, Utah Sentencing Commission

**MOTION:** Sen. Weiler moved to pass the bill out favorably. The motion passed unanimously.

**MOTION:** Sen. Hillyard moved to place the bill on the Consent Calendar. The motion passed unanimously.

**S.B. 213     Small Claims Court Amendments (*Sen. T. Weiler*)**

**MOTION:** Sen. Weiler moved S.B. 213 be replaced with 1<sup>st</sup> Sub. 213. The motion passed unanimously with Sen. Escamilla, Sen. Urquhart and Sen. Thatcher absent for the vote.

Sen. Weiler explained the bill to the committee.

**MOTION:** Sen. Weiler moved to pass the bill out favorably. The motion passed unanimously with Sen. Hillyard and Sen. Thatcher absent for the vote.

**S.B. 215     Motor Vehicle Insurance Amendments (*Sen. S. Urquhart*)**

Sen. Urquhart explained the bill to the committee.

Spoke for the bill:     Mr. Steve Sullivan, Attorney  
                                 Ms. Chantel Nate, Lobbyist, American Family Insurance

**MOTION:** Sen. Urquhart moved to pass the bill out favorably. The motion passed unanimously with Sen. Hillyard absent for the vote.

**S.B. 218     Department of Corrections Amendments (*Sen. L. Fillmore*)**

**MOTION:** Sen. Weiler moved to amend the bill as follows:

- I.     *Page 1, Line 13:*  
13     ►     repeals language regarding work release programs **including reference to trusty status** ;
2.     *Page 2, Line 31:*  
31     64-13-30, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2010, Chapter 386  
         **REPEALS:**  
         **64-13-14.6, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2004, Chapter 274**
3.     *Page 9, Line 254:*  
254     is confidential.  
         **Section 7. Repealer.**  
         **This bill repeals:**  
         **Section 64-13-14.6, Inmate trusty status.**

The motion passed unanimously with Sen. Hillyard and Sen. Thatcher absent for the vote.

Sen. Fillmore explained the bill to the committee.

Spoke to the bill: Mr. Mike Haddon, Deputy Director, Department of Corrections

**MOTION:** Sen. Weiler moved to pass the bill out favorably. The motion passed unanimously with Sen. Hillyard and Sen. Thatcher absent for the vote.

**MOTION:** Sen. Weiler moved to place the bill on the Consent Calendar. The motion passed unanimously with Sen. Hillyard and Sen. Thatcher absent for the vote.

**S.B. 220 Non-judicial Foreclosure Amendments (Sen. W. Harper)**

**MOTION:** Sen. Weiler moved to amend the bill as follows:

1. *Page 9, Lines 260 through 262:*

260 (c) No ~~other~~ notice of the postponed sale in addition to the notice described in  
261 Subsection (2)(b) is required, unless the postponement [exceeds 45 days. In that event,] is  
for  
262 longer than {three months} 45 days after the date designated in the original notice of  
sale.

The motion passed unanimously with Sen. Hillyard and Sen. Thatcher absent for the vote.

Sen. Harper explained the bill to the committee.

Spoke for the bill: Mr. Scott Lundberg

**MOTION:** Sen. Weiler moved to pass the bill out favorably. The motion passed unanimously with Sen. Hillyard and Sen. Thatcher absent for the vote.

Chair Madsen relinquished the chair to Sen. Weiler.

**S.B. 221 Capitol Protocol Amendments (Sen. M. Madsen)**

Sen. Madsen explained the bill to the committee.

Spoke to the bill: Ms. Allyson Gamble, Executive Director, Capitol Preservation Board  
Mr. Allen Bachman, Attorney General's Office  
Lieutenant John Mitchell, Utah Highway Patrol

**MOTION:** Sen. Madsen moved to pass the bill out favorably. The motion passed unanimously with Sen. Hillyard and Sen. Thatcher absent for the vote.

Sen. Madsen resumed the chair.

**MOTION:** Sen. Urquhart moved to adjourn. The motion passed unanimously with Sen. Hillyard and Sen. Thatcher absent for the vote.

Chair Madsen adjourned the meeting 5:16 p.m.

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Sen. Mark B. Madsen, Chair